

Laid a True Stone

The Corner of the New Universalist Church

PLACED IN ITS POSITION

By Eminent Masons with Pretty Ceremonies—The Solemn Lesson of the Occasion Portrayed by Mr. Fluhrer.

The corner stone of All Souls Universalist church, at the corner of Oak and Sheldon streets, was laid with solemn Masonic and religious ceremonies at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The ceremonies were conducted by the grand lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of Michigan. Seventy-five Knights Templar acted as an escort to the grand lodge which was accompanied by a body of twenty Master Masons.

A stand for the officiating clergymen and Masons had been erected at the northwest corner of the church, and was elaborately draped with large flags. The corner stone is a massive block of granite, and was inscribed with the following words:

ALL SOULS CHURCH.
UNIVERSALIST.
1892.

In the upper surface of the stone was chiseled a hollow chamber in which was placed a tin box containing a copy of the Bible, the revised city charter, Prof. Huxley's address on the "Progress of Science During the Last Half Century," resolutions of the board of education of the city, a pamphlet published by the board of trade entitled "Grand Rapids as It Is," a history of the Universalist church, a list of the officers and members of the Sunday school, the Masonic ritual for the laying of the corner stone, by-laws of the F. A. M., copies of the invitations to and announcements of the laying of the corner stone, and a pamphlet entitled, "What Universalists Believe."

General Inauguration. The officers of the grand lodge, clergymen and prominent members of the church were gathered on the platform, while around them were grouped the companies of Knights Templar and Masons. Deputy Grand Master Crawford Angell then commanded silence in the name of the grand lodge of Michigan. Grand Master Innes said: "From time immemorial it has been the custom of the grand lodge to lay the corner stone of a public structure when it was so desired, and in accordance with the ancient usages of Masonry. We take great pleasure in responding to the invitation tendered as to lay the corner stone of this church. It is our custom on such occasions to invoke the blessing of the great architect of the universe that he will let his blessing rest upon the work." The Rev. J. T. Husted, chaplain of the grand lodge, then pronounced the invocation, after which the corner stone was slowly lowered to its resting place by three distinct movements. At each pause the assembled Masons executed the public grand honors of the craft. The tools of the craft, the square level and plumb were then presented to the proper officials who pronounced the work perfect and declared that the craftsmen had done their duty. The chamber containing the documents was then closed by Grand Master Innes, who declared the stone to be "plumb, level and square; to be well founded, true and trusty." The various vices then bore to the stone the corn, wine and oil, and after repeating the solemn and beautiful words of the ancient ritual the tools were presented to Architect Hoeltzen and the ceremony was over.

New Era in Architecture. The Schubert quartet rendered a hymn after which the Rev. Mr. Husted delivered a prayer. The address of the day was delivered by the Rev. Dr. Charles Fluhrer, who spoke in substance as follows: "It was said of the Emperor Augustus that he found Rome brick and left it marble, and this perhaps is one of the greatest tributes that can be paid a ruler. Today we in a sense inaugurate a new era in the architectural architecture of this city. The structure which has just been sanctified by mystic and holy rites is indicative of a more refined taste in our architectural taste. It is indicative of wealth and goodly and public spirit, but it is indicative of something higher and better than even these. It has something more than a material significance: it is typical of the social, moral and intellectual growth of our city. Proud as we are of our manufactures and our beautiful streets and homes we can take a greater and truer pride in our schools our hospitals, our churches and our structures devoted to literature and to charity. "These buildings we have reared as shrines to the less material phases of life and they are our greatest glory. By our manufactures we send men into the world better craftsmen, but by our educational and religious institutions we send them out better and truer men and armed to face the hard battle of life.

Stand for Religious Interpretation. "This edifice will stand for the interpretation of religion, but that religion is larger than any sect and one which welcomes to itself those of every sect and creed. This church shall find its fellowship with other churches, and its mission in the effort to make men more true, more reverent, more reverent to man to a higher plane and to make them so understand their duties to their country that they may have that usefulness and nobility, which will best answer the true demands of citizenship. Let us strive to we cherish our hearts that we may have a broad sympathy for all truth and understand the perfect, continuous and complete development, the unfolding from the lower to the higher which characterizes the divine plan, and having such confidence in the divine Father that we can entrust all things to him. And when the walls of our structures shall have been completed may it be a skeleton for the freedom and where, where the unhappy may come and go forth better and wiser." A hymn composed by Mrs. E. A. Fletcher, was then sung by the congregation, and the benediction was pronounced by Rabbi F. W. Jensen.

OBSERVED AT THE REPORTS.

How Memorial Day Was Spent at the Parks. About 10,000 people visited North Park yesterday. Many had brought lunches with them, and had the day been dry the grove would have looked like a bee hive.

In the afternoon an aeronaut gave an imitation of a balloon ascension, but it was not successful. The balloon rose to a distance of about twenty-five feet, when it fell into the river. The aeronaut was about 250 feet in the air.

but was pulled out by friends who had a boat ready. Fully twelve thousand people visited Reed's lake yesterday. They began going out very early and by 6 o'clock nearly every inch was crowded. There was no particular attraction save a stray balloon or two, but the Electric Railway company seemed to have great drawing powers. Two coaches were pulled into the parking grounds every five minutes, landing from 120 to 180 passengers per trip. People up Wealthy avenue way who desired to go to the lake were obliged to take a car and come down town, then catch an outgoing car. Their scheme worked well until after 3 o'clock when outgoing and incoming trains were equally crowded. The new improvements at the lake were favorably commented on and rivers of soda water alternated with mountains of ice cream in tickling the palates of the visitors. The popcorn man and the vender of fruit also did a thriving business. Boats were in good demand and many fine strings of fish were caught.

THE FOREIGN TENDENCY.

It is Entirely Opposed to the Spirit of Jefferson's Teachings.

Of the forces arrayed against protection today not one is more powerful for harm than the lamentable mania for foreign goods which prevails among the American people. It would require the employment of hundreds of thousands of workers and the payment of millions in wages to produce the things annually imported which might just as well be produced at home. A protective tariff is all to perfect the efficiency something else is needed. In a letter to Jean Baptiste Say, Thomas Jefferson wrote: "The prohibitive duties we lay on all articles of foreign manufacture which prudence requires us to establish at home, with the patriotic determination of every good citizen to use no foreign article which can be made within ourselves, without regard to difference in price, secures us against a relapse into foreign dependency."

Jefferson clearly saw that the co-operation of the people must accompany the protective tariff which he vigorously championed in order that it might work out its greatest good. Would that the illustrious patriot could speak to the American people today! He would not need to ask them to voluntarily pass by cheaper and perhaps better foreign articles and pay more for inferior domestic goods, as he did in the early days of the republic. Great changes have occurred since then. Under the policy inaugurated by the fathers of our government manufacturing has so grandly developed that American products in these last years of the Nineteenth century fully equal, both in price and quality, those of any other country on earth. And the people of every other country in the world recognize this fact. American wares find their way to every corner of the earth, and are eagerly sought by the peoples of all other nations. Only in America will you hear American products derided.

This state of things is all wrong. It is enough to make one almost ashamed of being an American to see the foreign insignia pictured on the signs of tradesmen in any of our large cities, to behold "Warranted English," "Genuine French," "Real Imported," and similar labels filling the show windows, and to hear the ignorant blather of a tailor indignantly repel the insinuation that he keeps any American goods. The vendor of "French" boots, "English" jackknives, "Turkish" rugs, "German" china is he who gets the lucrative trade in these degenerate days. The man who sold only American products would speedily find his way to the poorhouse. "Foreign" and "Imported" are the words with which to allure customers. The tradesmen are not to blame. They only cater to the tastes of the public. The trouble is that the tastes of the public are vitiated. We need to apply once more the principle inculcated and acted upon by Jefferson, to purchase "nothing foreign where an equivalent domestic article can be obtained without regard to difference of price." The American purchaser of today takes the exact opposite of the course Jefferson advised. Instead of selecting the domestic article without regard to difference of price, he chooses the articles stamped "Foreign," no matter what its cost.

Every protectionist should set his or her face against this tendency. Ask for American products. If your grocer or your clothes dealer does not have them, go to another store. If all protectionists would adopt this rule, we should very soon witness a turning out among the "Foreign" and "Imported" signs along the business streets, and untold good would result to all departments of domestic industry.

"Tariff Oppressed" Cotton Growers. Aside from the fact that cotton ties have not perceptibly advanced in price under the new tariff, and the consequent dishonor of the plan for free ties on the ground that the tariff on these oppressed cotton growers—without considering these things at all, we say, the free cotton tie advocates have no case. Suppose for a moment, for the sake of argument, that the new tariff has increased the price of cotton ties, though it is a notorious fact that this is not the case, for the cotton grower gets better for less money under the new law than he did before. But suppose that he pays more than he would with free ties. He is still far from being the oppressed mortal that the free trade operators in congress report him.

Cotton ties were selling at the close of the last cotton season for \$1.10 a bundle of 50 pounds, or 2 1/2 cents a pound. It takes about 25,000 pounds of ties to bale the cotton consumed in this country. They would cost under the McKinley law at 2 1/2 cents a pound \$625,000. It is a sum upon which the free trader loves to expatiate in his delirious raves of the woe of the poor cotton planter.

Yet these same cotton planters take this cotton to market bound with cotton ties which cost 2 1/2 cents a pound and sell it by weight, ties and all, at 7 or 8 cents a pound. Thus they receive (if they sell at the former price) for the ties around the \$250,000 bales consumed in this country \$1,750,000, which leaves them a net profit of \$1,500,000 over and above the cost of the ties to them. Who is doing the entrevening in this case?

Prosperity in New Hampshire. The duplicate in the savings bank of New Hampshire converted in 1921 to \$20,000,000. The duplicate in New Hampshire is \$20,000,000. The duplicate in New Hampshire is \$20,000,000.

state are about 2500. New Hampshire returns a safe majority for the candidates of the party of protection in every election.

THEN SHE KNOWS.

For fourteen hours, with eyeballs strained, she'll scan the samples she's obtained. And she will pray with fervent heart For strength to tell her which is best. But when her husband comes at night, And when those samples greet his sight, In less than half a minute she Can tell him which one it will be. —Chick Revere.

Unexpected Thanks.

A correspondent sends a "true story" of street car politeness, and we publish it with much pleasure.

An "electric" was passing down a suburban thoroughfare, when it was hailed by an old woman, evidently from the country. The car stopped and after much bustling and puffing the woman got in, at the same time asking the conductor to please take her to a certain street.

By a circuitous route the car soon reached the street she had asked for, and the conductor gruffly announced the fact. Overcome with joy to find herself at her destination, she squeezed out, saying to the conductor as she passed him, her face beaming with gratitude: "I thank you very much, sir. I'm very much obliged to you. I hope you didn't have to go far out of your way to get me here." —Youth's Companion.

A Good Snake Story.

When the Georgia editor does tell a snake story it is generally a good one. A Georgia exchange is responsible for the following: "Some years ago Judge Simmons was presented with a pet snake. One day it swallowed an eight day clock, which could be heard to tick and strike until it ran down. Shortly after the snake laid 100 eggs. On opening them he found each to contain an open faced watch in good running order. He then fed on large augers and obtained enough corkers to supply a convention which soon meets at Atlanta." —New Orleans Picayune.

Our Servants.

Mistress (to cook)—You know, Marie, I cannot allow you to receive your pretended cousin in the kitchen every evening. "You are very kind, mum; but he's so very shy, mum, he won't step into the parlor." —Charivari.

The scroll of exquisite lilies and roses placed upon the grave of the late A. B. Watson yesterday by Watson post, was the finest floral design ever seen here. Crabbe & Hunter furnished it.

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Night train with Wagner sleeping car will leave Grand Rapids same as now, at 11:05 p. m. daily, and arrive in Chicago at 7:55 a. m.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that the Board of Review and Equalization of the city of Grand Rapids will meet on the fourth day of May, A. D. 1922, being Monday next, and be present at their office in the city hall in the afternoon from 5 o'clock until 12 o'clock in the forenoon and from 1 o'clock until 5 o'clock in the afternoon (except Sunday May 28th, 1922) each day, and as on until and including Wednesday June 1st, 1922 for the purpose of reviewing the several ward sales of city for annual taxation in the year 1922.

Board of Review and Equalization for the city of Grand Rapids.

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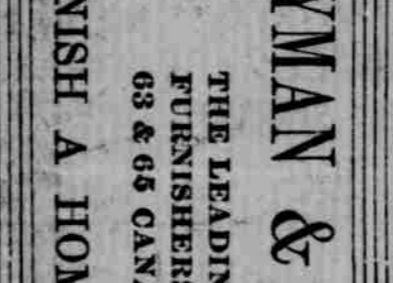
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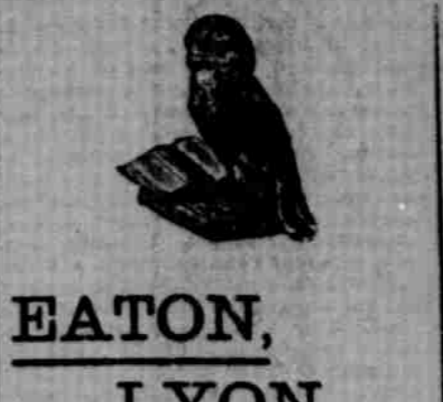
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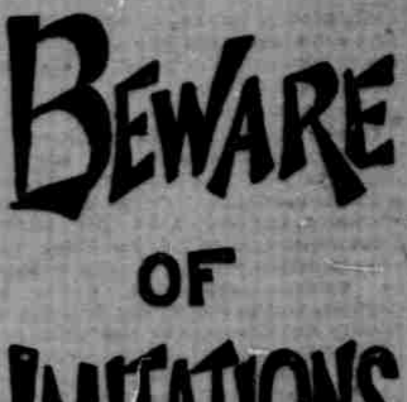
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